

Workgroup, Wilmington, Delaware; and Rashard Mendenhall, National Football League, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

### BUSINESS MEETING

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Committee ordered favorably reported S. 1132, to amend title 18, United States Code, to improve the provisions relating to the carrying of concealed weapons by law enforcement officers, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute; and

The nominations of Dawn Elizabeth Johnsen, of Indiana, to be an Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, and Gloria M. Navarro, to be United States District Judge for the District of Nevada, Audrey Goldstein Fleissig, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Missouri, Lucy Haeran Koh, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of California, Jon E. DeGuilio, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Indiana, and Tanya Walton Pratt, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Indiana.

### BUSINESS MEETING

*Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship:* Committee ordered favorably reported S. 2989, to improve the Small Business Act, with amendments.

### VETERANS ORGANIZATIONS LEGISLATIVE PRESENTATIONS

*Committee on Veterans' Affairs:* Committee concluded a joint hearing with the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs to examine legislative presentations from the Paralyzed Veterans of America, Jewish War Veterans, Military Order of the Purple Heart, Ex-Prisoners of War, Blinded Veterans Association, Military Officers Association of America, Air Force Sergeants Association, and the Wounded Warrior Project, after receiving testimony from Gene Crayton, Paralyzed Veterans of America, St. Louis, Missouri; Edwin M. Robins, Jewish War Veterans of the United States of America, Cleveland, Ohio; James M. Sims, Military Order of the Purple Heart, Annandale, Virginia; Kenny Hanson, American Ex-Prisoners of War, Minneapolis, Minnesota; Roy Kekahuna, Blinded Veterans Association, Las Vegas, Nevada; Rene A. Campos, Military Officers Association of America, Washington, D.C.; John R. McCauslin, Air Force Sergeants Association, Suitland, Maryland; and Andrew Kinard, Wounded Warrior Project, Boston, Massachusetts.

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## House of Representatives

### *Chamber Action*

**Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced:** 30 public bills, H.R. 4753–4782; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 80; H. Con. Res. 247–249; and H. Res. 1138–1143 were introduced. **Pages H1167–69**

**Additional Cosponsors:** **Pages H1169–70**

**Reports Filed:** Reports were filed today as follows:

H. Res. 1137, providing for consideration of the Senate amendment to the bill (H.R. 2847) making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce and Justice, and Science, and Related Agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2010, and for other purposes (H. Rept. 111–426) and

H. Res. 1031, impeaching G. Thomas Porteous, Jr., judge of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana, for high crimes and misdemeanors (H. Rept. 111–427). **Page H1167**

**Speaker:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative Baldwin to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H1107**

**Committee Resignation:** Read a letter from Representative Stark wherein he resigned as acting chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means.

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**Suspension:** The House agreed to suspend the rules and agree to the following measure:

*Recognizing the importance and significance of the 2010 Census:* H. Res. 1086, to recognize the importance and significance of the 2010 Census and to encourage each community within Indian Country to name an elder to be the first member of that community to answer the 2010 Census, by a  $\frac{2}{3}$  recorded vote of 415 ayes to 1 no with 1 voting “present”, Roll No. 85. **Pages H1109–12, H1113–14**

**Suspensions—Proceedings Resumed:** The House agreed to suspend the rules and agree to the following measures which were debated on Tuesday, March 2nd:

*Expressing the appreciation of Congress for the service and sacrifice of the members of the 139th*